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In re Application of Yuan et al.	:	Group Art Unit: 2624
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AFTER FINAL RESPONSE

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Sir:

In regard to the Final Office Action dated April 25, 2008, it is respectfully requested that the rejected claims be reconsidered. This Office Action was a final rejection of Claims 1-7, 10, 11, 21, 22, 24, 25, 27, 29 and 30. However, these claims are believed to be in condition for allowance because they are not anticipated by or obvious over the cited art. The justification for this belief is presented below. As such, the applicants hereby respectfully request further examination and reconsideration of the subject application.